

IOWA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
Report Of Investigation

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INVESTIGATION DATE Current 12-13-82 Last 6-6-82		FROM: (Use Stamp) IOWA DEPT. OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY REGION NO. 4 316 WALNUT ATLANTIC, IOWA 50022 PHONE 712/243-1914
TO: (Facility Name, Location & Address) Douglas & Lomason Company P. O. Box 119 Red Oak, Iowa 51566		
RE: (Specify Investigation Purpose Or Cite Rule) To Clarify Closure Status		Persons Contacted (Name & Position) Jim Grizzard, Jr., Quality Control Supervisor <i>jm</i>

OBSERVATIONS/RECOMMENDATIONS

On December 13, 1982, this facility was inspected to determine the extent of hazardous waste drum closure actually needed. Mr. Jim Grizzard, Jr. was contacted at that time. Previously, this facility stored its hazardous waste (primarily chromium hydroxide filtrate sludge) in 55-gallon drums. No barrels of stored hazardous waste were observed at the time of this inspection. Presently, the dewatered sludge is being temporarily stored in a dumpster before ultimate disposal at the Montgomery County Sanitary Landfill, authorized by Special Waste Authorization #6901092282-2. According to Mr. Grizzard, the dumpster has a capacity of approximately 600 pounds. It was covered and signs warning of the hazardous waste were posted on the wall adjacent to the dumpster. There was no evidence of any spillage of hazardous waste in the previous or present storage area.

It is recommended that this Department waive the submission of a closure plan by Douglas & Lomason Company.

The cooperation of the officials at Douglas & Lomason Company is appreciated.

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SUSPENSE DATE 11	Signature Inspector <i>Allan Goldberg</i> Allan Goldberg, Environmental Specialist	Date 4-4-83
	Regional Administrator <i>[Signature]</i>	4-5-83
Enclosures (Specify) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Distribution: Regional Office: Central Office: Inspected Facility Mailed 4-5-83 <i>[initials]</i>		